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FROM: DCI

SUBJECT: Verification of Compliance -
Proposed Contadora Pact

Bob:

This came in just as I was leaving. I wonder whether we want to send out a paper on the verification of compliance on the proposed contadora pact at this point. Perhaps we should hold it for future use.

I leave it to you.

William J. Casey

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Bill -

1. Based on the need to insure that both Secretary Weinberger and Secretary Shultz had a Community view on our capability to verify compliance of a Contadora Pact, I asked Lenny Perroots to take the lead in updating the original assessment done last year. The update, accomplished under the auspices of the Caribbean Basin Intelligence Steering Group, was prepared by an interagency working group headed by [redacted] of DIA.

2. The bottom line has not changed since 1985. Our capability to verify compliance is assessed as moderate to low at best.

3. I have also included a copy of this update for John Poindexter.

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